

**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION, MANNER  
OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE  
STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED**

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 Returned to applicant for correction SEP 19 1994  
 Corrected application filed NOV 15 1994 Map filed NOV 15 1994

The applicant Hecla Mining Co. (Formerly LAC Minerals and/or Equinox Resources)  
P. O. Box 1861 of Lovelock  
Street and No. or P.O. Box No. City or Town  
Nevada 89419 hereby make S application for permission to change the  
State and Zip Code No.  
point of diversion  
Point of diversion, manner of use, and/or place of use  
 of water heretofore appropriated under Amended Permit No. 57263  
Identify existing right by Permit, Certificate, Proof or Claim Nos. If Decreed, give title of Decree and  
 identify right in Decree.

- The source of water is underground source (Rosebud Portal)  
Name of stream, lake, underground spring or other source.
- The amount of water to be changed 1.0 second-feet  
Second feet, acre feet. One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.
- The water to be used for mineral exploration, mining, milling & associated domestic use  
Irrigation, power, mining, industrial, etc. If for stock state number and kind of animals.
- The water heretofore permitted for mineral exploration, mining, milling & associated domestic use.  
Irrigation, power, mining, industrial, etc. If for stock state number and kind of animals.  
within Lot 4 of Section 24, T.34N., R.29E.,
- The water is to be diverted at the following point M.D.B. & M. (unsurveyed): or at a point from which U.S.L.M.M.#207, a brass cap,  
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey and by course and  
 distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.  
bears N 3°01'34"W a distance of 3126.62 feet.
- The existing permitted point of diversion is located within Lot 4 of Section 24, T.34N., R.29E.,  
If point of diversion is not changed, do not answer.  
M.D.B. & M. (unsurveyed); or at a point from which U.S.L.M.M.#207 bears N4°  
04'56"E 3088.93'.
- Proposed place of use unchanged  
Describe by legal subdivisions. If for irrigation state number of acres to be irrigated.
- Existing place of use All of Sections 6, 7, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32, 33 & 34 of T.34N., R.30E.,  
Describe by legal subdivisions. If permit is for irrigation, state number of acres irrigated. If changing place of use and/or  
 M.D.B. & M. and Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25 & 26, T.34N., R.29E.,  
 manner of use of irrigation permit, describe acreage to be removed from irrigation.  
M.D.B. & M. (unsurveyed)
- Use will be from January 1st to December 31st of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day
- Use was permitted from January 1st to December 31st of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day
- Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and  
 specifications of your diversion or storage works.) water will be pumped from underground sumps  
State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure,  
 to a surface sedimentation pond for re-circulation and land application.  
ditches, pipes and flumes, or drilled well, etc.
- Estimated cost of works \$50,000.00
- Estimated time required to construct works completed

14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 5 years

15. Remarks: For use other than irrigation or stock watering, state number and type of units to be served or annual consumptive use:

This application is being filed to correct the point of diversion.

Desert Mountain Surveying as agent  
By s/John H. Milton III  
146 W. Second Street  
Winnemucca, NV 89445

Compared pm/ do jr/bk

Protested \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROVAL**  
OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the point of diversion of the waters of an underground source as heretofore granted under Permit 57263 is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 57263 and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. A totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of the water begins or before the proof of completion of work is filed. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The total combined duty of water under Permits 55516, 60130-T, 60131-T, 60270, 60305, 60306, 60307 and 60308 shall not exceed 605.0 acre-feet annually.

The manner of use of water under this permit is by nature of its activity a temporary use and any application to change the manner of use granted under this permit will be subject to additional determination and evaluation with respect to the permanent effects on existing rights and the resource within the ground water basin.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

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The amount of water to be changed shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 1.0 cubic feet per second but not to exceed 500.0 acre-  
feet annually.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before May 5, 1996

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before June 5, 1996

Application of water to beneficial use shall be made on or before May 5, 1997

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before June 5, 1997

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before N/A

Completion of work filed SEP 08 1997

Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural map filed \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued AUG 14 2007

**WITHDRAWN BY APPLICANT**

Justin Ricci, P.E. STATE ENGINEER

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,  
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my

office, this 6th day of July

A.D. 1995

R. Michael Turnipseed, P.E.  
State Engineer

(PERMIT TERMS CONTINUED)

A monthly report shall be submitted to the State Engineer within 10 days from the end of each month which shall include the amount of water pumped from the well and the amount of water used.